## Exhibit C

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Charlottesville Division

ELIZABETH SINES, SETH WISPELWEY, MARISSA BLAIR, TYLER MAGILL, APRIL MUNIZ, HANNAH PEARCE, MARCUS MARTIN, NATALIE ROMERO, CHELSEA ALVARADO, and JOHN DOE,

Plaintiffs,

v. Civil Action No.: 3:17CV00072

JASON KESSLER, RICHARD SPENCER, CHRISTOPHER CANTWELL, JAMES ALEX FIELDS, JR., VANGUARD AMERICA, ANDREW ANGLIN, MOONBASE HOLDINGS, LLC, ROBERT "AZZMADOR" RAY, NATHAN DAMIGO, ELLIOTT KLINE a/k/a ELI MOSELEY, IDENTITY EVROPA, MATTHEW HEIMBACH, MATTHEW PARROTT a/k/a DAVID MATTHEW PARROTT, TRADITIONALIST WORKER PARTY, MICHAEL HILL, MICHAEL TUBBS, LEAGUE OF THE SOUTH, JEFF SCHOEP, NATIONAL SOCIALIST MOVEMENT, NATIONALIST FRONT, AUGUSTUS SOL INVICTUS, FRATERNAL ORDER OF THE ALT-KNIGHTS, MICHAEL "ENOCH" PEINOVICH, LOYAL WHITE KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN, and EAST COAST KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN a/k/a EAST COAST KNIGHTS OF THE TRUE INVISIBLE EMPIRE,

Defendants.

## <u>DEFENDANT FIELDS' RESPONSES TO PLAINTIFFS' FIRST REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS</u>

COMES NOW Defendant JAMES ALEX FIELDS, JR. ("Fields"), by counsel, and for his

Responses to Plaintiffs' First Requests for Production of Documents, states as follows:

1. All Documents and Communications concerning the Events, including without limitation all documents and communications:

i. concerning any preparation, planning, transportation to, or coordination for, the
 Events, including receipts, bills and credit card statements reflecting costs for transportation,
 lodging, apparel, gear, or any other material purchased for the Events;

ii. concerning any instructions or coordination relating to the Events, including security details, what to wear, what to bring, when to meet, where to met, what to say, and any other logistical information or arrangements;

iii. that are Social Media concerning the Events;

iv. you created during the Events, including Social media, text messages, video, and photographs;

v. concerning African Americans, Jewish individuals, or other religious, racial, or etchnic minorities that relate in any way to the Events

vi. concerning any statement or action attributed to You in the Amended Compalint; or

vii. concerning any allegation of an altercation, violent act, injury, or instance of intimidation or harassment that occurred during the Rally, including but not limited to James Fields' vehicular incident; or

viii. concerning any funding of the Events, including for transportation, housing, food, weapons, uniforms, signage, tiki torches, or other materials or services used in connection with the Events (or planning thereof).

RESPONSE: Objection on the grounds this request is overly broad, unduly burdensome,

and seeks information that is not relevant nor reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Subject to and without waiving these objections, Fields does not have the capability to access his social media accounts to provide complete responsive information. Other than privileged documents, Fields is only in possession of publicly available documents such as newspaper and website articles or blog posts, the "Final Report – Independent Review of the 2017 Protest Events in Charlottesville, Virginia", and online blogs and "lectures" such as this talk given by Mr. Dwayne Dixon.

- <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U0dgg9dXLm0&feature=youtu.be&t=2250">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U0dgg9dXLm0&feature=youtu.be&t=2250</a>
  If requested, Fields will provide copies of or links to the publicly available newspaper and website articles obtained by "Googling" his name and the August 12, 2017, Charlottesville Rally.
- 2. All Documents and Communications concerning events, meetings, rallies, conferences, or conversations held prior to the Events that relate to the Events in any way.

RESPONSE: Objection on the grounds this request is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and seeks information that is not relevant nor reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Subject to and without waiving these objections, Fields does not have the capability to access his social media accounts to provide complete responsive information.

To the best of his recollection, Fields states that he told his mother through in person conversation, via telephone calls, and text messages, that he planned to travel to Charlottesville for the August 12 Rally. Fields also states that he communicated with his supervisor to request time of to attend the Rally but provided no information regarding the Rally. He believes he told his supervisor he was going to a reunion. Fields did not participate in any events, meetings, rallies,

conferences or conversations held prior to the Events with any co-defendants, or anyone else, concerning the planning of the Events.

3. All Documents concerning and all Communications concerning or with East Coast knights of the Ku Klux Klan (or East Cost Knights of the True Invisible Empire), Fraternal Order of the Alt-Knights, Identity Europa (or Identity Evropa), League of the South, Loyal White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (or Loyal White Knights Church of the Invisible Empire Inc.), Moonbase Holdings, LLC, Nationalist Socialist movement, Nationalist Front (or Aryan National Alliance), Traditionalist Worker Party, Vanguard America, or any such other social group or organization that has as part of its agenda a racial, religious or ethnic objective.

RESPONSE: Objection on the grounds this request is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and seeks information that is not relevant nor reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Subject to and without waiving these objections, Fields does not have the capability to access his social media accounts to provide complete responsive information.

To the best of his recollection, Fields liked and retweeted and/or reposted the tweets and/or posts of others regarding the Rally. He did not post any original information regarding the Rally, as he did not have access to any.

4. All Documents and Communications concerning violence, intimidation, or harassment of Persons on the basis race, religion, or ethnicity, including but not limited to, ethnic cleansing, white genocide, a white ethno-state, or any other form of large or small scale violence.

RESPONSE: Objection on the grounds this request is overly broad, unduly burdensome,

and seeks information that is not relevant nor reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Subject to and without waiving these objections, and with respect only to documents and communications concerning the Events, Fields liked and retweeted and/or reposted the tweets and/or posts of others regarding the Rally. He did not post any original information regarding the Rally, as he did not have access to any. Fields recalls posting a video and/or a photograph from the Rally but he is not in possession of any such documents or any other relevant non-public documents.

- 5. For any Social media account You had from January 1, 2015, to the present:
- i. Documents and Communication sufficient to show the account home page, and all uses of Social media for that account that reference or concern the Events or Defendants in any way.
- ii. Documents and Communication sufficient to show all Your "friends" and/or "social connections" maintained on Your account, including their names, addresses, and social network usernames or handles.

RESPONSE: Objection on the grounds this request is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and seeks information that is not relevant nor reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Subject to and without waiving these objections, Fields does not have the capability to access his social media accounts to provide complete responsive information.

The only Twitter account that Fields would have used for any communication about the Rally is @TheNewGiantDad. His facebook account had a username james.fields.9279 and a display name "Conscious Ovis Aries." Fields specifically objects to providing information regarding any other Twitter accounts or social media accounts that he maintained or used prior to

the summer of 2017 and that were never used to communicate about the Rally.. To the best of his recollection, Fields has never been connected to any co-Defendant in this action other than "following" them on social media and potentially reposting, retweeting, and/or liking items from their accounts. Fields recalls following Richard Spencer on YouTube and Twitter. Fields also recalls following Augustus Sol Invictus and Michael Peinovich on Twitter.

6. All Documents concerning and all Communications concerning or with any Plaintiff or Defendant (other than You) named in the Amended Complaint, and any other Person who attended, planned or was involved in the Events.

RESPONSE: Fields does not have the capability to access his social media accounts to provide complete responsive information because the electronic devices which Fields would have used to access his Twitter and social media accounts are presently in the possession of law enforcement. Fields did not knowingly send, receive, or participate in the exchange of any letters, emails, text messages, instant messages, direct messages, telephone conversations, voicemail messages, face-to-face meetings, electronic chats, podcasts, or online videos about the August 12 rally or any other topics with any of the co-Defendants listed in the Amended Complaint. To the best of his recollection, Fields has never been connected to any co-Defendant in this action other than "following" them on social media and potentially reposting, retweeting, and/or liking items from their accounts. Fields recalls following Richard Spencer on YouTube and Twitter. Fields also recalls following Augustus Sol Invictus and Michael Peinovich on Twitter. Fields does recall that he "tagged" co-defendant Richard Spencer in some of his Twitter posts. Fields also recalls "tagging" David Duke in some of his Twitter posts. Neither individual ever responded to these

"tags."

7. All Documents and Communications concerning any lawsuits, claims of violence, or arrests relating to or arising out of racially, ethnically, or religiously motivated conduct by You or any Defendant named in the Amended Complaint.

RESPONSE: Objection on the grounds this request is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and seeks information that is not relevant nor reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. This request is further object to on the grounds of attorney-client privilege and potentially work product. Fields is not in possession of any responsive, non-privileged documents.

8. All Documents and Communications concerning the steps you have taken to preserve Documents and Communications relevant to the lawsuit, including the Documents and Communications responsive to these Requests.

RESPONSE: Fields states that he has no documents to produce in response to this request because he has been incarcerated since August 12, 2017, and search warrants executed by various law enforcement authorities have resulted in the seizure of his electronic devices and any other possibly relevant documents.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this <u>16th</u> day of April, 2018, I provided copies of the foregoing via email to the following:

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